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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

application of: Malecha *et al.*

Serial No. 09/494,149

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Androgenic Sex Hormone
from Crustacean Prawn and
Marine Shrimp and
Methods of Use*

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the time to file a response to the final Office Action mailed
April 11, 2001 be extended by two months to September 12, 2001. The required fee of \$195.00
is enclosed herewith pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, including extension
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Respectfully submitted,

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